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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$466.
  - \$306 for 17 total claims over 20.
  - \$160 for 2 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1306.

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION  
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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing parts of Application (Filing Date Granted) mailed May 16, 2001, please find enclosed:

- (1) a duly executed Declaration and Power of Attorney with respect to the above-referenced patent application;
- (2) a check in the amount of \$1,306.00 in payment of the filing fee and the surcharge of 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (a)(1);
- (3) a check in the amount of \$390.00 in payment of the two month extension fee under C.F.R § 1.136(a);
- (4) an Information disclosure statement & PTO 1449;
- (5) a copy of (13) listed references;
- (7) a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application; and

(8) Petition for Two (2) Month Extension of Time Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a).

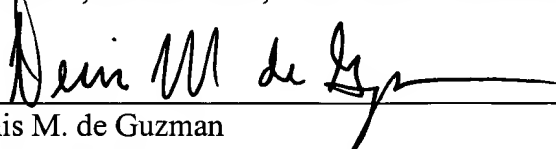
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Respectfully submitted,

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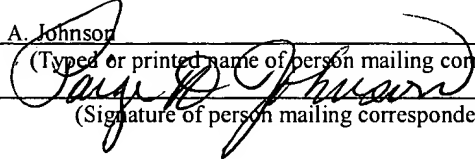
  
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